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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARI

Serial Nos. 1–6

Major ~~Part~~ B for

SUBJECT.

Sale of receipt Stamps (Mysore) by the post masters in the Province of Mysore.

AS

W D 88—GPB—50,000—24-7-16

Counter

Nb

Do Post offices peddle sell
Revenue stamps for us as
they do in Havana — ? Do they
get any discount? Do they
obtain them on credit
what payment or after
payment

MC
2215/92

Per Hon

Post/Mr Pereira have been authorised to call Executive Council to order to-day

Report how many Friendly Societies there are & what rates of dues are allowed

26/5

Submitted

Please see the portion marked in blue pencil in the accompanying Govt Pro: No 7534-42, dated 19th Septr/90 Cer 156

Draft drawn as directed

26/5 27/5 26/5/92

26 Circulated

READ THE FOLLOWING PAPERS :—

From the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, To the Dewan of Mysore, No. 1125—6716, dated 3rd April 1890

The Post Master General of Madras has come to learn that the Imperial Post Offices in Mysore have undertaken the sale of Mysore revenue or receipt stamps, although they received no orders to do so. He therefore wishes to know whether such sale is in accordance with the wishes of the Darbar

2. It was understood from the accompaniment to your letter No. 1490, dated the 12th October 1887, that the sale of such stamps by the local stamp vendors would be sufficient, and it was inferred therefrom that the Darbar did not wish the Post Offices to undertake such sales in addition.

3 The Resident will therefore be glad to know what are the present wishes of the Darbar on the subject.

From the Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, To the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, No. 2252—110, dated 11th June 1890.

In reply to your letter to the Dewan No. 1125—6716, dated 3rd April last, regarding Imperial Post Offices in Mysore undertaking the sale of Mysore receipt stamps, I am directed to explain that circumstances have changed since my predecessor wrote his No. 1490 on the 12th October 1887. Then Imperial Post Offices were few in number and situated in most cases at Head-Quarters of Districts where stamp vendors existed, and there was little advantage to be gained by Imperial Post Masters selling Mysore stamps in addition. Now, however, the case is the reverse of this, and the Darbar have no objection to authorize Treasury Officers to supply Imperial Post Offices with Mysore receipt stamps for sale to the public. The Post Masters who may apply for supplies will pay cash with their indents and be allowed a commission at 3 per cent at Head-Quarters of Districts and Taluks, and at 5 per cent at other than District and Taluk Head-Quarters which will be their profit in the business. I am to request to be favored further with the views of the Resident on the subject.

From the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, To the Dewan of Mysore, No. 2439—6716, dated 2nd August 1890.

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 2252—110, dated the 11th June 1890, regarding the sale of revenue receipt stamps by the Imperial Post Offices in Mysore, I am directed to forward a copy of a letter from the Post Master General in Madras, and to say that the Resident will be glad to receive the definite views of the Darbar on the subject.

No. C. 417—1358, dated the 25th July 1890.

From the Officiating Post Master General, Madras, To the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, No. C. 417—1358, dated 15th July 1890.

With reference to your letter No. 1943 of the 24th ultimo, I have the honor to state that if the Mysore Darbar specially desires it, with the view to placing facilities in the way of the people of the country for purchasing revenue or receipt stamps, I shall be glad to direct the Imperial Post Offices in the Mysore Province to take up the sale of these stamps, with the permission of the Darbar, and on hearing that the desire really exists, the necessary instructions will at once be issued. It is with the wish to render our Post Offices useful to the Native administration that this question is mooted.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (General),—dated 19th September 1890.

From the Under-Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, To the Comptroller of Mysore, No. 4605—337, dated 7th August 1890.

In forwarding the correspondence noted on the margin (in original to be returned,) regarding the sale of Mysore receipt stamps at the Imperial Post Offices in the Province, has the honor to enquire if there is any objection to the proposals therein made and whether private vendors will suffer by the arrangement.

No. 2252—110, dated 11th June 1890, to the Assistant to the Resident

No. 2439—6716, dated 2nd August 1890, from do · with enclosure.

From the Comptroller of Mysore, To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, No. 1891, dated 11th August 1890.

I have the honor to acknowledge your No. 4605—337, dated 7th August, anent the sale of 1 anna receipt labels by Postal officials and its *enclosures. I beg to submit in reply that the sale by the Postal Department of these labels is likely to be beneficial to the public and it is not likely to be productive of any great disadvantage to the private vendors as the commission lost thereby will not be large. But it is doubtful if there will be sufficient demand at all Post Offices for this label so as to make the sale really remunerative to the vendors. As it is advisable however in the interests of the general public, the Resident may be requested to kindly arrange for issue of the necessary instructions by the Post Master General. The present reference has probably been made for the purpose of informing the Darbar that the Postal Department is not very particular about selling these stamps and that the sale will be introduced only if it should be specially desired by the Darbar.

*Herewith returned.

From the Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, To the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, No. 5601—265, dated 20th August 1890.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 2439—6716, dated the 2nd instant, requesting to be informed of the definite views of the Darbar regarding the sale of Mysore revenue receipt stamps by the Imperial Post Offices in the Province, and in explanation of my letter No. 2252—110, dated 11th June last, I am directed to state that the Darbar are prepared to constitute all Post Masters in Mysore (or such of them only as the Post Master General may think can undertake the work without detriment to their postal duties) *Ex-officio* vendors of Mysore receipt stamps, and authorize Treasury Officers to supply them on payment with receipt stamps for sale to the public. The measure is calculated to be beneficial to all concerned. Thereby the public can obtain receipt stamps as easily as they can go to the nearest Post Office and the Post Masters will receive a commission and thus improve their income.

From the Offg. Post Master General, Madras, To the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, No. C 587—1358. dated 9th September 1890.

In acknowledging the receipt of your endorsement No. 2901—6716 of the 2nd instant, I have the honor to state that the Mysore Darbar may appoint all Post Masters in Mysore without exception *Ex-officio* vendors of Mysore receipt stamps.

2 I shall direct that the sale of these stamps be taken up as soon as the Treasuries are authorized to issue them to the Imperial Post Offices.

From the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, To the Dewan of Mysore, No. 3089—671-6, dated 16th September 1890.

Copy forwarded to the Dewan of Mysore for favor of necessary action with reference to correspondence ending with his letter No. 5601—265, dated the 20th August 1890.

No. 7534-42—Cir. 156 dated 19th September 1890.

Order thereon.—Communicated to the Comptroller with a request that he will be so good as to issue the necessary instructions for the issue of Mysore receipt stamps from the several Treasuries to all Post Masters in Mysore who are newly appointed *Ex-officio* vendors of such stamps.

T. ANANDA ROW
Chief Secretary

To—The Comptroller
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

1890.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

GENERAL.

PROCEEDINGS.

Dated 19*th September* 1890.

No. 7534-42
Cir. 156.

Appointing Post Masters in Mysore to be *Ex-officio* Vendors of Mysore Receipt Stamps.

Mysore Govt. Central Press, Bangalore.—18-10-90.—150.

(General Serial No. 30.)

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From
Section SR
File No 84-91 (2)
Serial No
To ~~The~~ Comptroller
to the Govt of Mysore

Dated 30-5-92
Despatched 31
Received

Enclosures No.
General No. 3596
No. 173

Adverting to Government
Pro. No 7534-42 of the 19th
Cor 156
September 1890, the Comptroller
is requested to report
how many ~~of the~~ Post
masters in the Province
have availed themselves
of the ~~opportunity of~~ permission given them for
~~the~~ selling Mysore Receipt Stamps
and what rates of discount
are allowed to them

28/5/92

By order
29/5
for Secty

(General Serial No. 30.)

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE
3179
15 JUN. 92
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From
Section The Controller
File No 34-92 Mysore
Serial No 2
To The Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 14"
Despatched 15" June 92
Received

Enclosures No. one

General No. 1543
No.

Enclosing for information a printed Copy of Circular No. 1750 dated 7th November 1890 issued under the authority of Government Proceedings No. 7534-42 dated 19" September 1890 regarding the sale of Mysore Receipt stamps by Post Masters

Rev Branch
Mrs 15/6/92

Read
27/6/92 Draft Subs
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27-6-92 A.I.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
14 JUN. 92
MYSORE.

No. 1543

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 14 June 1892.

From

~~A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq.~~
The *Comptroller of Mysore.*

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore.

SIR,

With reference to your docket No. 3590/193 dated 29/31 May 1892, I have the honor to enclose for information a printed copy of my Circular No. 1750 dated 7th November 1890 issued under the authority of Government Proceedings No. 7534-42 cir 156 dated 16th September 1890 from which it will be seen that the rates of Commission allowed to Post Masters for the sale of Mysore Revenue or Receipt stamps are those given in the margin.

There is no information —

Three per cent to Post Masters at Head Quarters of Districts and Talugs.

Five per cent at other Khan Busticks and Talugs Head Quarters.

information forthcoming in this office of the number of Postmasters in the Province who have availed themselves of the permission to vend such stamps as the bills for commission paid for the sale of stamps received for audit do not give the names and designation of the stamp vendors. The District Officers have been asked to furnish this office with the required information which will be reported to you in due course.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your most obedient servant.

For Comptroller.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE REVENUE OR RECEIPT STAMPS', SALE BY POST-MASTERS.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts, Treasury Department, Circular No. 1750, dated 7th November 1890.

Under authority of the Proceedings of the Government of Mysore, No. 7534-42—Cir.-156 dated 19th September 1890, the Comptroller has the honor to request that Mysore Revenue or Receipt Stamps may be issued on payment of ready money from the District and Taluk Treasuries to all Post-Masters in Mysore who have been appointed Ex-officio Vendors of such stamps.

The smallest quantity to be sold at one time will be five rupees worth

Three per cent to Post-Masters at Head-quarters of Districts and Taluks.
Five per cent at other than District and Taluk Head-quarters.

The commission at the rates noted in the margin will be allowed as remuneration for the business.

A. RANGASWAMAIENGAR,
Comptroller, Mysore Government.

R.

(General Serial No. 30.)

From Section 1895 R
File No 34-91
Serial No 5 (4)

To The Comptroller to the Govt of Mysore.

Dated

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. ~~29~~ 30

General No. ~~30~~

R No. 6-92

His No. 1543 dated 16th inst. stating that as no information is available in his office regarding the Sale of Mysore Receipt Stamps by Post Masters, the District officers have been asked to furnish the same and that a report will be ~~reported~~ made in due course.

The further report promised in the above is awaited.

By order

1/7/92

For Chief Secty.

R. R

(General Serial No. 30.)

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Section

From

File No

Serial No

OFFICE OF THE
423.
13 JUL 92
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To The Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 11"

Despatched 12" July 92

Received

Enclosures None

General No 254

No

Stating that all the Post-Masters in the Province are reported to have availed themselves of the permission to sell Mysore Revenue or one anna Receipt stamps

Good Jud Mrk 13/7/92

Read from the Head Branch. 3/8/92

Submitted to the Councillor (Revenue). with reference to his note of 22d May 92.

All the Postmasters in the Province sell Receipt stamps, receiving a commission of 3 per Cent at Head Quarters & Districts and Talukas, and

of 5 per Cent at other places.

This communication may be recorded —

Mrk 18/8/92

Recorded 19/8/92

Read 18/8

15-7-92

No. 254

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
14 JUL 92
MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE,

Bangalore, 11th July 1892.

From

~~A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq.,~~

The Comptroller of Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No 1542 dated 14/15 June 1892, I have the honor to state that all the Post Masters in the Province are reported to have availed themselves of the permission given them in Proceedings No 7534-42/Cir 156 dated 16th September 1892 to sell Mysore Revenue or one anna Receipt Stamps.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. Servan

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For Comptroller

Draft

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Section SR

File No 34-91

Serial No 58

Read Letter No 254 dated 11 July 1892 from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore stating that all the Post-masters in the Province are reported to have availed themselves of the permission given in Proceedings No 7534-42 / Cir 156 dated the 16 September 1890 to sell Mysore Revenue (one anna) receipt stamps

No 3141 / R. F 125-92 dated 23-8-92

Order thereon

Recorded

23/8/92

for Secretary

To The Comptroller, M. S.

(General Serial No. 30.)

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From The 1st Assistant to the Resident in Mysore

Section SR 911/2

File No 34-94

To Serial No 96

Dated 18th September 1893

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. 4

General No. 3184

No. 351-93

Forwarding a copy of a circular dated 14th August 1893 issued by the Post Master General Madras communicating the rules sanctioned by the Govt of Madras for the issue of Ex-officio licenses to postal officials for the sale of non-judicial stamps within the Madras Presidency

Vide Chf Secys orders with

References June 1879

Transferred to Rev Branch

5/12

Submitted

9/12

But all Post Masters in Mysore are ex-officio Vendors of Receipt Stamps (Please see Pro No: 7534-42 dt 19.9.90 - Ref section) circ 156

9/12/93

Subd

This communication may be filed. It is stated therein that the Rules enclosed are not applicable to the Officials of the Imperial Post Service in Mysore

11/12/93

Yes - File

11/12

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No. 3184 / 357-93 &c 4

FROM

THE FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 18th September 1893.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for the information of the Durbar, a Copy of a Circular No. 75/53 dated the 14th August 1893 issued by the Post-Master General Madras. to all Postal officers in the Madras Circle, Communicating the rules sanctioned by the Government of Madras for the issue of Ex officio licences to postal officials for the sale of non-judicial Stamps within the Madras Presidency

2 The rules in question do not apply to officials of the Imperial Post-service

with

~~&~~ ~~with three spare Copies.~~

within the Mysore State.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

H.V. Cobb

First Assistant Resident.

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See made
a reference to this
effect on the
paper

(B. O.—10).

Circular No. $\frac{75}{53}$

To

ALL POSTAL OFFICERS, MADRAS CIRCLE.

Dated Madras, the 14th August 1893.

The following Rules for the issue of ex-officio licenses to postal officials for the sale of non-judicial stamps approved and sanctioned by the Government of Madras in their Order dated 14th July 1893, No 626, Revenue, are published for the information and guidance of all Postal Officers in the Madras Circle

H. FARRER,
Postmaster General,
Madras.

Rules for the sale of non-judicial stamps by Postmasters, Sub Postmasters and Branch Postmasters licensed for the purpose.

Collectors of districts or other officers empowered by the Board of Revenue or Government may, at their discretion, grant licenses to officials in charge of post-offices to sell non-judicial stamps

2. The licenses will be issued on the application of the officials concerned, submitted through their immediate superiors, *i. e.*, a Superintendent of Post Offices or a Postmaster of the First Class as the case may be.

3. Postmasters, Sub-Postmasters and Branch Postmasters will be licensed by their official designation and not by name.

4. Postal officials licensed to sell non-judicial stamps shall be subject in all respects to the rules and regulations applicable to licensed private vendors and should purchase the stamps required by them for sale from their own private funds.

5. The stamps kept for sale, the collections realized therefrom and all registers and papers connected therewith should on no account be placed in any of the receptacles of the Post Office or in the room in which the work of the Post Office is conducted, but should be kept apart, the licensee in each case making his own arrangements for the purpose.

6. All correspondence connected with the purchase and the sale of the stamps being purely private, the usual postage chargeable thereon should be paid by the licensee from his private funds.

7. A license issued in the official designation of a postal official will, in the event of his transfer or departure on leave, be transferable to his successor or *locum tenens*. It will be compulsory on the relieving official to continue the sale and take over the stock of unsold stamps, (not spoiled or rendered unfit for use) remaining with his predecessor, at its value *minus* the discount allowed thereon at the time of purchase. Any official who is not in a position so to take over the stamps and pay for them *forthwith* will not be appointed either temporarily or permanently to succeed an official who has been licensed to sell stamps. But, if after taking over the stamps an official permanently appointed should wish to discontinue the sale, he should, before doing so, get the license cancelled in the ordinary course through his immediate superior, *i. e.*, a Superintendent of Post Offices or a Postmaster of the First Class.

8. In cases where the permanent official is absent only for a short period, his *locum tenens* should take over from his predecessor a stock of stamps sufficient for sale during the period of his incumbency, at cost price less discount.

9. If the out-going Postmaster should have no stock on hand, the incoming Postmaster should, without any loss of time, buy the necessary supply from the nearest treasury.

SUBJECT.—Rules for the sale of non-judicial stamps by Postmasters, Sub Postmasters and Branch Postmasters licensed for the purpose.

(M S 10—No. 1.)